

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 NSCE-00 /026 W

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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 884

C O N F I D E N T I A L KUALA LUMPUR 4672

EXDIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS

SUBJ: KUALA LUMPUR INCIDENT

REF: STATE 188410

1. ACCOUNT IS ACCURATE AND REMARKS WERE MADE BY STEBBINS AT AIRPORT IMMEDIATELY AFTER HIS RELEASE. BOTH BRUBAKER AND I HAVE SEPARATELY MADE APPROXIMATELY THE POINTS CONTAINED IN YOUR PARA TWO TO STEBBINS. I WILL QUIETLY REINFORCE THIS WITH HIM, AND WITH THE REST OF THE STAFF HERE.

2. AS A POINT OF POSSIBLE INTEREST, TERRORISTS DID TREAT HIM WELL, AND HE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT DEADLINES AND EXECUTION THREATS. THOSE OF US WHO BELIEVED (AND I DO) THAT TERRORISTS INTENDED TO MURDER HIM MONDAY NIGHT IF THERE WAS NO REPLY FROM THE JAPANESE HAVE CONSIDERABLY LESS GENEROUS FEELINGS TOWARD THEM.  
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## Message Attributes

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